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Glastonbury 03

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The Pyramid Stage
One of the legendary features of Glastonbury. The first pyramid was built of scaffolding; the second, which famously burnt down, of telegraph poles; while the new pyramid is a stunning sight of shimmering steel. The main stage always has an eclectic line up, with artists in the past as diverse as Oasis and Tony Bennett, REM, Pulp, Chemical Brothers, Radiohead and Robbie Williams. Set in a natural amphitheatre it can accommodate an audience in excess of 90,000.

The Other Stage
This stage has evolved from a solely chart/indie stage to include more rock and dance music. Site of some memorable performances (who can forget Catatonia in the thunderstorm) the arena can house an audience of in excess of 40,000 – and is bigger than main stages at many other festivals.

Dance Stage
House music all night long on Friday, hip hop, funky breaks and the biggest of big beats on Saturday and on Sunday Inner city flavours in the hearts of deepest Somerset with drum and bass, multi-decked hip hop plus the odd urban poet.

One World Stage
Sounds for head and heart rounded off in style with a jumping workout for the feet. Where else would you find Britain's first bona fide disco diva, a Scottish soundtrack maestro, a Zairean percussion demon, Spicy Cuban beats plus the monarchs of loungecore.

Acoustic Field
Wander up here for that special sound - you might just catch your favourite band. Ray Davies, Portishead and Beth Orton have all packed the marquee at this little oasis where you will also find the Real Ale Bar and The Common Ground Café.

New Tent
Hosts to some exciting acts this year – some new names to look out for and some you may already know very well. David Gray, Gomez, Coldplay, Death in Vegas, Badly Drawn Boy and the Doves have all played on this stage in the past. Check it out!

Circus Field
Visit the Outside Circus Stage for thrilling circus performances and circus skills workshops. PLUS at 12.40am each night, our biggest and most fantastic show this year, Il Corso from Germany's wonderful, large-scale performance group PAN OPTIKUM – not to be missed!

East Holts Theatre and Circus Field

Circus Big Top
From 10:45am each morning non-stop exciting performances.

Cabaret Tent
From 11am, the best of well known stand-up comedy stars, interspersed with all sorts of fascinating variety acts!

Performers Corner
All kinds of weird and wonderful performances here, also visit the Smallest Library, Smallest Theatre and Smallest Night-Club in the World.

Glebeland Theatre, Dance, and Fire Field

Theatre Marquee
Some wonderful theatre, dance, mime and variety shows on offer from 11am each morning.

The Dance and Fire Stage
A host of wonderful dance, from Samba and Capoiera to Flamenco and Breakdance.

Field of Avalon
In the heart of the festival's Greenfields and the vale of Avalon itself is the Avalon Field. Live acts, 24-hour Café Avalon stage, a place to sit and enjoy a wholesome vegetarian meal whilst watching a whole spectrum of top acoustic, jazz-world and folk acts.

Lost Vagueness
The essence of the free-spiritedness that Glastonbury has fostered for so many years now has been distilled into the incredible sub-culture exuberance of Lost Vagueness. Lost Vagueness Field will feature among other things: • The Ballroom • The Casino • Waiter Service and Top Cuisine • The Wedding Chapel.

The Lost Stage
New for 2003, this stage features an eclectic line-up. This year, Nightmares on Wax, James Lavelle, Way Out West and State of Bengal are but a few of the acts that will grace the stage.

The Lost Field
There will be mad automaton robots, performers, intense music, a circus and loads of other stuff.

The Glade
Delightful sounds emanate from a colourful geodimentional structure whilst people sit, dance or wander amongst the trees and in the Glade Café Lounge.

Cinema (10pm-4am)
See 12 of the best films from the last year presented on a 17 metre inflatable screen in Dolby Digital 6 track sound.

Bandstand
Music at the heart of the festival – in the markets, near the Cider Bus.

Greenpeace Field
Clean up your act in our famous hot solar-assisted showers, then sit down to chill out in Cafe Tango the hottest 24hr GM-free, organic lounge on site.

Green Futures Field
Sunbathe at the beach or deliberate in the debating forum. There are even some great bands to watch.

The Green Craft Field
Utilising the Earth's resources to build a new future, the Green Crafts Field highlights both traditional skills and modern innovations.

Green Road Show
The largest collection of alternative energy exhibits ever seen at the Glastonbury festival.

Healing Field
Organised in the form of a mandala of four elemental circles; Fire, Air, Earth and Water, the Healing Field offers a wide variety of natural elements and therapies.

Tipi Field
Peace and tranquillity reign, it is beautiful here.

Leftfield
The place for lengthy afternoon debates, evening sessions of music and late night movies. Big names from Tony Benn to Michael Moore will be there to engage, challenge and entertain.

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Info Points
If you have lost yourself and/or your friends you can leave messages at all four info points on site. If you need help with anything, chances are the info point staff will be able to answer your questions. The info points also sell programmes and give away a myriad of other useful things.

Property Lock-ups
Where you lock your property up. Open 24 hours a day. Free!!

Banks & ATM Cash Points
NatWest Bank is situated near the farmhouse and is open from 9.30am to 5.30pm (Thursday to Sunday) and til noon on Monday. Cash points at the bank are open 24 hours with no transaction charge. You can only cash one cheque per day from a complete cheque book, and you must have a card for your account with you and possibly other ID. Additional Link cash points will be situated near 'The Other' medical centre in the Pennard Hill camping ground, small charge, to Festival good causes, open 24hours.

Phone Boxes
If you haven't got a mobile you can call from the phone boxes at the info points.

Wagon Shed Welfare & Lost Property
The Wagon Shed is where you will find lost property. Lost Children are also taken from the Kidz field to the Wagon Shed after 8pm. Skilled staff also deal with many other problems at Welfare.

Medical Centres & First Aid Points
A full range of specialists are available 24 hours a day including Doctors, Nurses, Midwifes, Dentists and a Psychiatrist if needed. The main medical centre is near the farmhouse, and 'the Other' medical centre is based in the Pennard Hill ground. In emergency, seek out any Festival staff.

Pharmacy
The pharmacy can dispense most prescriptions immediately and can also order most others that are not stocked – however, the Pharmacy will not be stocking controlled drugs.

Official Festival Merchandise
These stalls are the only ones on site that stock official festival merchandise. Anything else offered to you is bootleg, snide, fake and will fall apart!

Toilets
Please use these and not the river, hedges or ditches. The Festival has been prosecuted for such pollution in the past.

Drinking Water
Please save water and turn the taps off after use.

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Free Festival Updates
Wherever you are, whatever you're doing, stay up to date with the latest festival news with free text updates direct to your Orange handset. Simply text **Glastonbury** to **247** and you'll receive up to the minute news, backstage gossip and alerts before your favourite artists take to the stage, ensuring you don't miss a thing.

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Official Festival Information Line
Listen to the Official Glastonbury Information Line and keep up to date with all the latest festival news including up to the minute line-up info and exclusive artist chats, as well as keep track of the weather and traffic conditions. Just dial **177*** from your Orange handset (07973 100177 all other networks).

ReCharge Zones
If your phone is low on battery and you need time out from the festival to re-charge yourself, check out one of the Orange Recharge Zones. A free mobile recharge service is available for all network users, check in your handset with the Orange team and chill out in Orange's Human Recharge lounge area.

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Just Say It
Orange Text Message Screens are the ultimate festival tool – ideal for tracking down lost friends, setting up meeting points or showing your appreciation of the bands. Just send a text message to the giant screens.

Meeting Point : 07800 140 842
Meeting Point : 07800 140 843
ReCharge Zone 1 : 07800 140 840
ReCharge Zone 2 : 07800 140 841

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Festivals 247 being Safe on Site

1. Get to know the site – Find out where the stages are in relation to your campsite and where the markets are. Which stalls are important landmarks on your usual journey? Where is the closest campsite stewards' base?
2. Check out the name of the campsite that you are staying in – it will be sign-posted. Carry a torch at night - it can be difficult to identify your tent in a dark field with hundreds of other tents!
3. If you are camping with friends arrange your tents in a circle with entrances facing into the middle - and get to know your other neighbours!
4. If you are walking in the lanes around the site at night please wear bright or reflective clothing, and walk facing on-coming traffic.
5. Use the 24hr Property Lock-ups – THEY ARE FREE. Lock your stuff up in the morning, pick it up in the evening, and during the day leave your tent flaps open so it can be seen to be empty.
6. Go with friends to the cash point and bank
7. Only take out as much cash from the bank as you require that day.
8. Don't count your cash in public places - and don't keep your cash and valuables together – spread them around your person.
9. Divide your cash at night and keep it in separate places.
10. Keep your chequebook separate from your guarantee card.
11. If anything gets stolen, report it. The Police Compound is near the farmhouse where they can give you a crime number for insurance purposes.